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RHS	E	5,318,607	6/1994	Malloy et al.	55	323	
RHS	F	5,512,073	4/1996	Mirza et al.	55	323	
RHS	G	5,540,744	7/1996	Renna	55	323	
RHS	H	5,567,216	10/1996	Mirza et al.	55	323	
RHS	I	5,814,115	9/1998	Allen et al.	55	350.1	
RHS	J	6,010,558	1/2000	Ackland	95	141	
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RHS	1	Kimberly-Clark Filtration Products brochure, available as of filing date.					
RHS	2	Spilfyter Innovative Spill Control Products brochure; available as of filing date.					
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